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In re the Application of:

HILL et al.

Application Number: 09/711,126

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 10, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated September 9, 2002, for an additional one month from the January 9, 2003 extended due date to February 10, 2003 (February 9, 2003 was a Sunday). A Petition for a one month Extension of Time was previously filed on January 9, 2003

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